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| n re the Application of: |) Customer No. 27717 |
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| WILLIAM WELLS ET AL. |)) Art Unit: 2165) |
| Serial No.: 09/491,899 | |
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| For: GAMING TERMINAL AND SYSTEM WITH BIOMETRIC IDENTIFICATION |)) |

TO: MAIL STOP: RCE

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) <u>UNDER 37 CFR 1.114</u>

Dear Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under the appropriate regulations, subsequent to the final rejection of March 4, 2005.

An amendment is enclosed as the Submission required.

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Also, a check for \$790 is enclosed as the large entity RCE filing fee. Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-1351 of Seyfarth Shaw for any added charges that may be necessary.

Respectfully submitted,

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